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ANNOUNCEMENT

A L McCawley authorizes the News to announce his candidacy for the democratic nomination for the office of prosecuting attorney of Jasper county. His platform is: "Strict enforcement of the law—as strong as the law and no stronger; as weak as the law and no weaker—regardless of the individual or class or offenders it may affect." He solicits your support and influence.

Ex-Senator Chandler has resigned his position as peacemaker, and wants it distinctly understood that his resignation is permanent.

For ways that are devious and beyond explanation some of the methods of the Standard Oil Co. puts the "Heathen Chinese" in the shade.

"Malicious and unqualified liar," How does that sound for the most dignified body in the world? But possibly the Senate has enough dignity to spare a slice on special occasion.

The ordinary citizen is somewhat bewildered as to what the much talked of rate bill does stand for, but the general impression seems to be that it is better than had been expected from the Senate.

The Good Roads question is commanding more attention than usual at the present time. A movement is on foot to put the road question on the same footing as the public schools—that is supported by the state.

Jasper will have an opportunity next Wednesday of showing her appreciation of the men who upheld the country's flag during its most crucial test, but who have since joined the bivouac of the dead, by placing a flower upon their graves.

In view of the fact that the mayor of San Francisco attributes the remarkable absence of crime and the exceptional good order which has prevailed there since the conflagration to the fact that the edicts against the sale of intoxicants has been rigidly enforced, the Carthage Press wisely suggests that "if temporarily closing the saloons has caused such a change, why would not permanently closing them insure a continuance of good order for all time?"

BUNCOMBE

It is hard to conceive of a set of political resolutions from the pen of John Flanagan without the word "buncombe" woven into it in some way. But a republican convention at Carthage last week adopted a set of resolutions, said to be John's production, in which we have been unable to discover this familiar word.

Perhaps this word was left out in order to give way to the genuine article for which the word stands. Whether this is the case or not, the convention indulged in a Simon pure type of buncombe when it resolved that "We pledge our Republican officials to maintain in the future as in the past, a relentless war on vice and to the enforcement of our laws." That is, it is pure buncombe if they desire to make the people think that their officials, during the past two years have made a "relentless war on vice, and to the enforcement of law." But if they merely want to pledge their officers to the same kind of warfare on vice that they have been giving us then it is more in the way of an apology than buncombe.

The impression in this end of county seems to be that the present officers' war on vice and their enforcement of the laws have not been as relentless as it might have been, especially as regards the city of Joplin. Of course, we do not know from personal knowledge that such is the case, but we do know that the better element in city of Joplin are far from being satisfied with the kind of law enforcement now in force. In fact they are so convinced that the present officers are not doing their full duty, that they have inaugurated a movement with the view of getting better officials. At any rate, if it is a question of accepting the testimony of the better element of a community or the testimony of party resolutions, we will accept the testimony of the good people every time.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Memorial Day

From the Publishers' Auxiliary

On every national anniversary, except Memorial Day, we deal with things of life, rather than of death.

On Independence day we celebrate the nation's birth; on Washington and Lincoln days the birth anniversaries of its immortal patriots; on Thanksgiving day the fullness and blessings of national prosperity.

On Memorial day alone we give pause for tears: on this hallowed anniversary we weave chaplets for the nation's glorious dead.

And how glorious they are—these myriad sleeping soldiers—and how the glory of their deeds magnifies with the years!

We, the living, add not at all to their immortality in history with our flowers, our prayers and our tears. But we do add something of priceless value to our own lives by the customs of Memorial day. We turn these sacred hours into a symphony of patriotism.

The benedictions of to-day's flower-strewn mounds is for the living; it is an oasis in the storms of life; a leveling occasion when the finer sentiments creep into the souls of American men and women.

And the nation's cemeteries are today the greatest school of patriotism for old and young that we have. For true patriotism counts not death, if through death the nation shall find life and health.

No nation is in peril that has such a Memorial day as we have. The living will carry on the work that these heroes gave their lives for.

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American patriotism is something apart. The simple flag that is more than ever a world emblem of liberty has no parallel as an inspirer of heroic deeds.

There are those who place sordid gain above sentiment, and care for our prosperity only for individual profit. But the heart of real America beats true in every crisis. No foe, open or secret, can successfully measure swords with the nation's conscience.

And this is the real lesson of Memorial day. So long as we honor our soldier dead we will honor our country.

Memorial day gives perspective. The tottering Grand Army veteran, and the lisping boy with cap and drum and flag, are the visible extremes of a common unity of patriotism.

Passionless, the remnants of former contending armies unite in a common sorrow and a common hope. The blue and gray are not less hallowed because time is blending them.

The season of nature's renewal is fittingly the season when this and future generations will yearly decorate the graves of American soldiers.

And though none of these sleepers hears the bugle call, each is taken again to the national heart by the fresh flowers in his "windowless palace of rest."

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